FIRE LDSS OF \$500 IN WESTERLY ECZEMA FROM

Blaze Probably From Carelessly Dropped Match in Attic at 41 School Street-Miss Edith Bruce Jones Gives Dramatic Recital-Plans for Wellesley College Benefit-Odd Fellows Going to Norwich.

The fire alarm was sent in wrong Williams in the Third Distrct court from Box 41, Main and School streets, next Monday. that is, the lever was not pulled only a part of the distance required, causing a jumbled alarm, which puzzled the firemen who were in readiness to D. Bradley of Stonington, whose mara part of the distance required, causrespond. Then the alarm was sent in riage engagements have been anproperly and the fire apparatus was at the location of the fire in a fiffy and succeeded in extinguishing the blaze before serious damage resulted. The fire was in the attic of the house No. 41 School street owned by Albert H. Langworthy, and occupied by the family of William R. Dove, the Delaney sisters and Thomas W. Coy. When the firemen arrived the fame was pouring out of a window in the Dove apartment, the chemicals failed and a stream of water soon subdued the flame and before it burned through the roof. The fire was confined to the attic room, where it originated, the contents of which were more or less burned.

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The fire started in a bureau drawer and presumably was caused by a lighted match, carelessly dropped by one of the Dove boys, who was in the room a short time before the discovery of the fire which was first seen by George W. Burdick from his home on Elm street. He promptly notified the occupants of the house and the fire started at \$500.

Minutes in the high schools of the state. The trolley car due to arrive in Westerly from Groton at 4:40 in the afternoon met with a mishap when near the little oyster shack not far from Noank. A freight car was at a standistill near that point and although the motorman of the passenger car applied the emergency brakes, the car could not be stopped until after it struck the freight car. The forward end of the passenger car was damaged. The passenger were given a sudden jolt but none were injured.

An entertainment is to be given in

Miss Edith Bruce Jones, monologue and character reader, the winner in open competition of the international prize offered by the Noble School of Expression of London. England and Detroit, Michigan, consisting of a trip abroad and a supplementary course in London, where her personal charm and artistic temperament were at once recognized, is now a resident of Westerly under the auspices of the Westerly under the Second Productions of the Westerly under the westerly under the Second Productions of the We and artistic temperament were at once recognized, is now a resident of Westerly, although called away frequently to fill artistic engagements as a public enterteiner, Miss Bruce pleased a large number of friends Tuesday evening for the benefit of the Exchange for Women's Work, eat the residence of Dr. John Champlin in Granite street. Miss Bruce presented the mythological comedy Pygmalion and Galatea, in which she represented the character of Pygmalion, a great sculptor. Cynisco his wife, Myrine Pygmalion's sister, Lencippe Myrine's lover, Chrysos, a wealthy art patron, Dophine his wife, Minmos Pygmalion's slave. Agaesimos Chysos's slave and Galatea a statue.

The varied characters were assumed with remarkable skill and the scenes of the comedy were depicted with realism, by the natural care and grace,

or the comedy were depicted with realism, by the natural care and grace, remarkable expressions and richness of voice of Miss Jones. She was in classic costume of white drapery and was generously applauded by the large

At a meeting of the Consumers' League of Rhodo Island, committees were selected for the ensuing year, Westerly members being assigned on the committees as follows: Miss the committees as follows: Miss Elizabeth Perry, press and publica-tion; Miss Elizabeth P. Moore, conditions surrounding employes in stores and factories; Mrs. Harry B. Agard, legislation; Mrs. James M. Fendlton, finance; Mrs. William F. William, membership; Miss Helen Segar, label committee; Mrs. Thomas Perry, nominations; Miss Elizabeth Perry, chairman of the Westerly committee.

Local Laconics. William Morris, an actor has been elected a member of the Westerly Co-

The poontoon bridge in the Pawca

tuck river is in position for the bal-ance of the winter.

Governor-elect Beeckman, did not consider Westerly or Washington county, in the selection of his staff. The Research club members met with Miss Fannie E. Wilcox at her home, 13 Grove avenue, Tuesday af-

The river and harbor bill includes an appropriation of \$2,500 for the maintenance of improvements in the Pau-

Class Fifteen of the First Baptist church held its monthly social at the home of Mrs. Fred Whitten, 39 Clark street, Tuesday evening. Charles W. Willard of Westerly, president of the commissioners of in-

and fisheries, attended a meeting of commission at the state capitol The King's Daughters of the Pau-

catuck Congregational church, held their annual tea and sale with Mrs. Clifford W. Campbell in Elm street, Tuesday afternoon.

This significant sign on boards have been placed on the White Rock school corner on the Potter Hill road; "Death curve 200 feet ahead. A shame and disgrace to the state. L. L. A. C.

The cases against the liquor seized lion are on the national forests, or, by the Westerly police in raids upon three kitchen barrooms, last Sunday, will be tried before Judge Oliver H.

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the cast on my leg and use bandages.

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MYSTIC

Meeting of the W. C. T. U.-Many Mourners at Funeral of Mrs. J. Elmer Newbury.

The meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance union was held Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock in their rooms on Bank square with a good number present. Mrs. Charles E. Nowbury, the president, presided, and an interesting programme was given.

FUNERAL.

Mrs. J. Elmer Newbury. The ice storm of Monday was one of the worst in several years. Limbs Norwich road were blown down, elec-tric light connections with Leesville ber of wires about town were put out of business. Superintendent Sherlock and men were out Monday afternoon making repairs and the local power plant was started up so that the lights were on during the evening. Men were at work Eucsday on the Leesville line The funeral of Mrs. George Stan-dish was held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at her home, Rev. B. D. Remington officiating. The body was placed in the receiving vault in Linwood cem-

etery. Mrs. Standish was \$7 years old. She has resided in this town for a long term of years. Her husband died about a year ago. She has been an invalid for seyeral years. O. Barber.
Rev. Walter P. Buck of Stafford Springs, a former pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, was in town on Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mrs.

Tuesday.

Louis H. Baldwin of Natalana and Louis H. Baldwin of Nat

STAFFORD SPRINGS

will open Jan. 4th and extend to March 26th. The spring vacation will be two weeks, and the summer term will begin April 12th and close June 25th. Holi-days, Washington's birthday and Meity of thousands of bankers to with-draw if it made rulings which they did

the following officers for the ensuing ternoon after a brief illness of diph-theria. Burial was private and was in president, James P. McCoart; vice president, John McLeary; financial St. Edward's cemetery.
Services were held in St. Edward's church Tuesday, the Feast of the Imnaculate Conception.

TRAILED BY BLOODHOUND.

Ellington Firebug Detected as Result of Keenness of Rockville Police

man Robert T. Hurley alone, should have the credit for tracing the firebug, Lawrence A. Welch, who set fire to a shed in Ellington Wednesday night and confessed to the crime Saturday. The dog belongs to Captain Krause of the Rockville police force and is one of a pair which he procured a year ago to run down burglars with. After the fire First Selectman John H. Lynch telephoned to Captain Krause to send the bloodhounds over

how the dog would act when trying the trail alone, he concluded to give the animal a chance. At the Partridge barn, the natural conclusion was that the firebug would have gone across a cornfield, back of the barn, as there are houses on both sides of the Partridge barn and the

That proved the right scent, as Welch, after setting the fire and circling out around the chicken yard, where he waited to see if the fire was discovered, returned and mingled with the fire fighters and apparently was working as hard as anyone to help put the fire out. Welch, who was arput the fire out. Weich, who was ar-rested by State Policeman Hurley af-terwards, admitted that he set the barn aftre and said he made the cir-cult as indicated by the hound. Captain Krause procured the pair of

bloodhound puppies a year and a half ago. The announcement that Rock-ville had bloodhounds seems to have had the effect of putting a stop to local burglaries in residential sections. For the past year, the captain and some of the supernumeraries have been training the dogs and one trip to the neighborhood of Coventry was a memorable one for the man who was aiding the police in training the dogs. He left the fair grounds east of the city, and traveled about five miles, landing in Coventry, where the dogs trailed him, chasing him through barns and outbuildings, and finally "treeing" their quarry on the roof of a small shed, where he had climped in an effort to fool the animals.

Adulterated Cocca at Rotterdam. Rotterdam, Dec. 5, via London, 4.50 p.m.—The police today raided a building which they suspected was being used by men who were exporting cocca to Cocca raided a building which they suspected was being used by men who were exporting cocca to Cocca raided a building which they suspected was being used by men who were exporting cocca to Cocca raided a building which they suspected was being used by men who were exporting cocca to Cocca ready for shipment, but many barrels of sand and sawdust with which thrifty exporters were plentifully adulterating the cocca in the police today raided a building which they suspected was being used by men who were exporting cocca to Cocca ready for shipment, but many barrels of sand and sawdust with which thrifty exporters were plentifully adulterating the cocca in the police today raided a building which they suspected was being used by men who were exporting cocca to Cocca ready for shipment, but many barrels of sand and sawdust with which thrifty exporters were plentifully adulterating the cocca in the police today raided a building which they suspected was being used by men who were exporting cocca to Cocca ready for shipment, but many barrels of cocca ready for shipment and the c For the past year, the captain and

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d one suggestion which did not meet

to enter the system and were to be-come a vital part of it they might be able in the future to exert undue in-

fluence through such an arrangement. The board, some of its members said,

might find embarrassment in the abil-

Suggestion Made by Secretary Stokes

Would Add a Week,

gestion to lengthen the university year

at Yale by a week is made by Secretary Anson Phelps Stokes, in his an-

Stokes traces the calendar changes since the earliest days and the com-parison is striking. In 1745, the total

vacation periods amounted to eight weeks, with 44 weeks of study. In 1913, counting in all the extra ex-cused work days, including Sundays, allowances for "cuts," etc., Mr. Stokes finds that the Yale student has 186 1-2

days of rest from the labors of the other 178 1-2.

The secretary believes that the year

should start one week earlier, as is the custom in many colleges. He also

suggests that a short optional reading

term be started September 6th, which would give two or three weeks of lit-erary work prior to the beginning of

FILE FREIGHT RATE ADVANCE

If Not Suspended Increase Will Bo come Effective Jan. 5.

Washington, Dec. 8.—Advances in freight rates, ranging from 5 to 15 per cent., have been filed with the In-

raticoads of the southwestern terri-tory. If not suspended, the increases

will become effective on January 5.

The advances, which apply particularly to commodities, affect all freight

but not in the same proportion. The increase is not a flat advance, appli-cable alike to all commodities, as was

the case with the proposed advance by the castern lines, but varies with the commodity, with the volume of traffic, with competition and with other con-

The tariffs filed propose increases

on fresh meats, packing house products, foodstuffs generally, building materials, machinery, agricultural im-

plements and on practically all of the standard freight commodities.

Adulterated Cocoa at Rotterdam,

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the regular term.

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 3 .-

nual report made public today.

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Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 8.—College students are the most efficient and de-pendable harvest hands, said W. L. O'Brien, commissioner of labor for

KILLED BY GERMANS Were Shot November 5 While Flying Over Ostend.

London, Dec. 8, 5.30 p. m.—Earl Annesley and his companion, Lieuten-aut Beever, who disappeared early last quit the federal system without the month after starting on an aeroplane process of liquidation now required of flight to the continent, have both been banks which give up their membership, killed by Germans. Countess Annesley banks which give up their membership.
It was pointed out that if a large number of stat# bankers were was notified today that the men were shot on November 5 while flying over Ostend. Francis Annesley, sixth earl of An-

nesley, was born in 1884. The an-cestral homes of the Annesleys are at Castlewellan and Donald Lodge, in the County Down, Ireland. The earl had no children. Walter Beresford Annesley, a cousin, will succeed to the

STORM DAMAGE ALONG NEW JERSEY COAST Absecon Island Sustained \$250,000 Loss by the Northeaster.

Atlantic City, Dec. 8 .- The storm damage on Absecon Island, as the re-sult of the northeaster, is estimated at \$250,000. Atlantic City, the principal municipality on the island, suf-fered damage estimated at \$80,000. Longport, at the southern end of Absion on industrial relations, to work secon, was damaged to the extent of out systematic distributing of harvest \$80,000; Margate \$30,000 and Ventnor states.

above water, but the management ex-pects to dynamite it if the damage to the hall is as severe as it appears. During the storm shipping remain-ed well off shore and the coast guards were not called upon to help a single

RIGHTS OF NEUTRALS OF THE WESTERN HEMISPHERE

Pan-American Union Asks Secretary Bryan to Appoint Commission.

Washington Dec. 8.—At a meeting of the governing board of the Pan-American Union, today, a resolution was passed asking Secretary Bryan to appoint a commission of nine of their own number to study practical steps which will assert the rights of neutrals of the western hemisphere in the Euro-pean conflict.

Wild animals work great havoc in India's wheat fields, it is reported.

WIRES IN PLACE OF MESSENGERS.



GERMAN FIELD TELEPHONE SIGNES ASSOCIATION

Correspondents who have visited the firing line have commented on the absence of the picturesque messengers that have figured in previous wars. Field telephones have replaced the messengers and all parts of an army are now, in instant communication by means of wires. These telephones can be placed anywhere—on trees houses, or in the trenches. They have almost superseded the use of the wigwag signals.

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Miss Helen Segar will give a tea at her home in Elm street this (Wednes-

scenes on the campus, rowing, basket-ball, hockey and tennis, the Tree Day pageant in June and the play Medeo given by one of the literary societies.

COLCHESTER

Ice Storm Does Much Damage-Fu-

neral of Mrs. George Standish.

were broken from the trees, telephone wires were down, several poles on the

power plant were broken and a num-

Funeral of Mrs. Standish.

Borough Small Notes,

Tuesday.

Louis H. Baldwin of Middletown was

STONINGTON

Election of Division No. 1, A. O. H .-

Division No. 1, A. O. H. has elected

Chaplain, Rev. James E. O'Brien:

secretary, William H. Vaughan; re-cording secretary, William H. O'Neil; treasurer, Patrick Gilmore; sentry,

a Colchester caller Monday. The R. F. D. carriers were

Christmas Tree.

Monday evening.

roads.

broken limbs of trees across

making repairs.

162 State St., New Bedford, Mass .-"The way the eczema started on my leg

pimples and itched so it seemed impossible for me to keep my hands from it night and day. I had to remove the cast on my leg and use bandages.

(Signed) J. W. Nichols, Feb. 6, 1914.

The funeral of Mrs. Harriett Teeds Brown Newbury, wife of G. Eimer Newbury, was held on Tuesday after-Newbury, was held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Randall Brown, on Church
street, at 2.30 o'clock, and was largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev. C. T. Hatch, pastor of
the Methodist Episcopal church, of
which the deceased was a member, and
by Rev. A. F. Earnshaw, pastor of the
Congregational church, of which Mrs.
Newbury had been chorister for several years. Both pastors epoke very
highly of her beautiful life. There
were many choice flowers. Burial was
in the family plot in Elm Grove cemetery. The bearers were Randall Smith, tery. The bearers were Randall Smith, Joseph Smith and Charles Smith, cousins of the deceased, and Willard W. Keigwin, William Van Pelt, Frank

Newbury.
Mrs. Morse Coogan of Providence is
the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Coo-Charles T. Wilson of Worcester was

setting in Monday on account of the storm. Several roads were blocked by Term to Close the 18th-School Child's Death from Diphtheria. The fail term of the public schools will close Dec. 18th. There will be two weeks' vacation, and the winter term

Borough to Have Community Myrtle May Rudge, aged 5, died at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Flizgerald, Tuesday af-

treasurer. Patrick Gilmore; sentry, John J. Young. Stonington is to have a municipal Stonington is to have a municipal Christmas tree this year, A tree will be placed in the Library park. Charles G. Cushman is acting treasurer of the

committee in charge.

William A. Armstrong has purchased a building lot on the Westerly road from J. C. Palmer of Lynn, Mass.

Miss E. C. Roach entertained friends A bloodhound, and not State Police-man Robert T. Hurley alone, should Of two millon sheep annually grazed in the state of Utah, more than a mil-

to Ellington. The female has a lit-ter of pupples and had to be kept home, but the male dog was sent over in charge of Supernumerary Schultz. Although the captain couldn't say

main street is in front, but the dog persisted in taking a different course, going around an old chicken house and back into the barn where the men were who had put out the fire.

COLLEGE STUDENTS ARE EFFICIENT HARVEST HANDS. Fail to Reach Conclusions How State W. S. O'Brien, Commissioner of Labor For Kansas So Declares.

Washington, Dec. 8.—The federal re-serve board held its conference today with representatives of state banks and trust companies to discuss reguand trust companies to discuss regu-lations for their entrance to the feder-al system, but failed to reach a point where definite rules to govern their ad-mission could be outlined. The com-mittee of state bankers, appointed for the purpose of considering this qles-tion several months ago at the Rich-mond meeting of the American Bankers' association, later announced its nability to solve the problem for the

The bankers will continue considera-tion of this matter and the board prob-ably will take it up also with the governors of the twelve reserve banks on Thursday and with the federal advis-ory council at its first meeting to be held here, probably next week. Bankers here today tentatively offerwith great favor among board mem-bers. They proposed that state banks

South American imports in 1913 were valued at \$545,126,783.

GERMAN FIELD TELEPHONE IN USE: